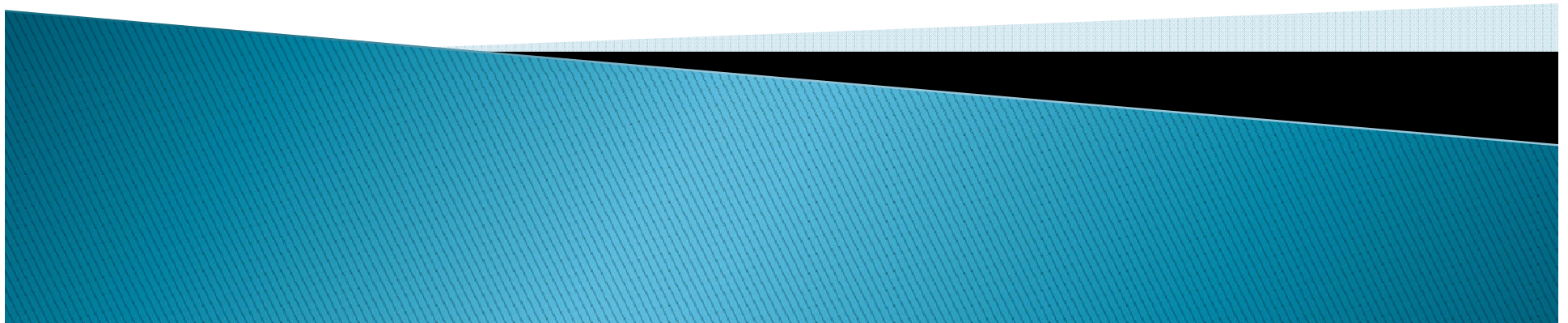


eResources at the Newport Beach Public Library



Why do we still matter?

- ▶ Self-directed learning
- ▶ Curriculum support
- ▶ Early childhood learning
- ▶ Recreational reading
- ▶ Informational literacy
- ▶ Professional reference assistance
- ▶ Programming and events
- ▶ Our services evolve with technology

eResources: what do we offer?

- ▶ Subscription databases
- ▶ Downloadable content (“eResources”)

Subscription databases

- ▶ The Library provides cardholders with 39 subscription databases on a variety of topics.
- ▶ These databases are accessible anywhere, at anytime, through the Library website.
- ▶ Unlike books, these databases are available to multiple users simultaneously.
- ▶ Current, authoritative, and reliable information.

Business and Investing

- ▶ **Hoover's Company Records:** proprietary editorial content covering more than 40,000 public and non-public companies.
- ▶ **Morningstar:** insightful information on stocks, mutual funds, variable annuities, closed-end funds and more.
- ▶ **Standard & Poor's NetAdvantage:** provides independent credit ratings, indices, risk evaluation, investment research and data.
- ▶ **ValueLine:** online version of The Value Line Investment Survey.
- ▶ **Reference USA:** provides directory information for U.S. businesses and residents.

Education

- ▶ Rocket Languages: provides interactive lessons on a variety of foreign languages.
- ▶ Universal Class: online courses available on a wide variety of topics.
- ▶ Live Homework Help: an online homework help and tutoring service.

Genealogy

- ▶ Ancestry Library Edition: Genealogy research database which includes billions of names. (This database can only be used at the library).
- ▶ Heritage Quest Online: Genealogy research with coverage dating back to the late 1700s..

Reference

- ▶ Rand California: contains statistical information on a national, state, county and city level from more than 170 databases in the fields of Business, Education, Health and more.
- ▶ World Book Encyclopedia: Contains the full-text of the print version of World Book.
- ▶ Health & Medical Complete: provides coverage from leading health and medical journals in key medical specialties.
- ▶ Literature Resource Center: a literature reference database designed for both the undergraduate and graduate student as well as the sophisticated casual user.
- ▶ Biography Resource Center: includes thousands of full-text biographies.

Magazines & Newspapers

- ▶ Current Newspapers (ProQuest): Electronic versions of the Orange County Register, Los Angeles Times, Wall Street Journal, New York Times and more.
- ▶ Historical Newspapers: Los Angeles Times and New York Times Historical: Contains electronic versions of the Los Angeles Times and New York Times from the mid 1800s to 2005.
- ▶ ProQuest Magazines and Journal articles: full text articles from numerous magazines and journals.

Children's Resources

- ▶ CultureGrams: provides concise cultural and statistical reports on over 200 countries. Reports cover 25 different aspects of the country and culture.
- ▶ Kids InfoBits: magazine and newspaper articles in a child-friendly interface.
- ▶ Tumble Books: a collection of talking picture books, puzzles, quizzes, and resources for teachers.
- ▶ World Book Kids: This version of World Book contains encyclopedia articles, images, games and more specifically developed for elementary school students.

Downloadable content

- ▶ eBooks
- ▶ Audiobooks
- ▶ Magazines
- ▶ Virtual reference books

eBooks

- ▶ OverDrive: provides eBooks of bestsellers, classic literature and other fiction and non-fiction titles.
- ▶ Axis 360: similar to OverDrive, but with more children's literature.

Downloadable Audiobooks

- ▶ OverDrive: provides audio versions of bestsellers, classic literature and other fiction and non-fiction titles in WMA and MP3 format.

eMagazines

- ▶ Zinio: free digital magazine subscriptions available on desktop computers, laptops and mobile devices.
- ▶ Coming soon! National Geographic Magazine Archive: features the complete archive of the magazine through March 2013, every page and every photograph from those issues.
- ▶ Also includes National Geo Kids and National Geographic Traveler.

Reference eBooks

- ▶ Gale Virtual Reference Library: full-text eBooks on a wide variety of topics, including arts, business, history, science, social science and more.
- ▶ Gale Virtual Directory Library: search full-text eBooks for directory information on associations, publications, and company information.

We have lots of other stuff too!

- ▶ Visit us at any of our 4 locations or online at www.newportbeachlibrary.org.